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TASMANIAN MONTHLY PRODUCTION STATISTICS, MARCH, 1965

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	TASMANIAN MONTHLY PRODUCTION STATISTICS, MARCH, 1909											
		7	Dairy Products		Bacon and		Flour (incl.		Metals			
PERIOD		Whole Milk (a)	Factory Butter (b)	Factory Cheese	Ham (Cured Weight)	Aerated Waters	Wheatmeal for Baking and Sharps)	Coal	Refined Zinc	Cathode Copper		
	Year: 1961-62 1962-63 1963-64	1000 gals. 73,206 78,518 83,124	tons 12,063 13,097 13,667	tons 605 643 1,337	tons 1,131 1,182 1,166	1,942 2,129 2,186	tons (2,0001b) 29,053 29,147 27,412	tons 252,822 240,314 180,546	tons 129,069 136,205 138,610	tons 11,812 11,694 11,790		
	6 months ended March, 1964 6 months ended March, 1965 p	55, 615 59, 765	9,538 9,917	938	680 61 7	1,297 1,352	13,673 14,256	88, 372 60, 565	67,804 69,462	5,724 6,003		
	Month: 1964 February March	6,640 7,187	1,083 1,171	105 154	83 98	r 182 167	2,367 2,191	10,500	10,929 11,518	893 936		
	1965 February p March p	7,105 5,800	1,135 900	185 122	81 78	240 212	1,967 2,547	9,310 9,978	10,899 12,610	969 1,077		
		Bui	ilding Material	S			Hot Water Sys-		Fert	tilizers		
	PERIOD	Sawn Timber (c) Produced	Bricks, Clay	Portland Cement	Wood Pulp	Sulphuric Acid	tems, Storage Displacement Type (Other than full Mains pres- sure) Electric		Supor- phosphate	Sulphate of Ammonia		
	Year: 1961-62 1962-63 1963-64	'000 sup.ft. 148,985 159,864 170,857	1000 22,956 20,908 24,648	tons 103,816 125,288 125,546	tons 116,082 136,188 157,413 78,835	tons 136,446 139,980 158,832 77,883	no. BRA 3,565 3,774 4,765 2,338	2,732,815 3,213,308 r 3,413,874	tons 119,229 125,413 132,113 70,752	tons 61,335 52,433 42,819 17,529		
		(d) 82,206 (d) 84,629	11,937 13,156	59,429 62,082	83,372	85,149	2,274 MMONW	1,813,621	70,270	29,443		
	Month: 1964 February March	14,602 13,618	1,793 2,121	r 7,628 9,897	12,068 14,746	11,367 13,887	444 423	243,536 283,893	12,214	2,202 3,958		
	1965 February p March p	14,771 (e)	2,151 2,725	r 7,657 12,785	13,744 16,316	14,025 14,664	483 417	277, 723 313, 033	9,455	4, 205		
	(a) Includes whole milk equivalent of butter, butter oil and cheese produced. (b) Includes butter equivalent of butter oil.											

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⁽d) 6 months ended February. (e) Not yet available. Includes peeled and sliced timber converted to a sawn timber equivalent. (c)

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SLAUGHTERINGS, MEAT PRODUCTION & LIVESTOCK PRICES - TASMANIA

1. LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTERED

	7	Cattle				
PERIOD	Bulls, Bullocks, Steers	Cows & Heifers	Calves	Sheep	Lambs	Pigs
Year: 1961-62	42,614	48,638	44, 230	510,626	649,306	120,4
1962-63	49,510	62,317	46, 149	465,996	628,757	115,4
1963-64	51,518	70,885	53, 823	544,945	582,113	123,5
6 months ended March, 1964	25,686	34, 149	12,353	336,074	341, 791	69, ⁴
6 months ended March, 1965 p	26,578	34, 659	12,190	240,118	342, 331	75,0
Month:- 1964 February March	4,437	6,646 6,173	1,202 941	64 , 898 46 , 766	45,956 41,882	11,3 11,0
1965 February p	4, 294	5,114	694	42, 135	46,582	13,1
March p	4, 728	6,706	831	46, 336	47,106	14,2

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2. MEAT PRODUCTION (TONS - CARCASS WEIGHT)

PERIOD	Beef	Veal	Mutton	Lamb	Pigmeat (a)	Total
Year: 1961-62	18,778	896	10,066	10,163	5,428	45,3
1962-63	22,711	983	9,462	9,924	5,461	48,5
1963-64.	24,593	1,316	10,926	9,153	5,927	51,9
6 months ended March, 1964	11,959	346	6,674	5,255	3,377	27,6
6 months ended March, 1965 p	12,705	330	5,078	5,432	3,745	27,2
Month:- 1964 February March	2,185 2,025	42	1,243 949	738 669	555 535	4, 7
1965 February p	1,958	· ;	878	762	667	4,2
March p	2,335	25	932	768	700	

⁽a) Includes that used for production of bacon and ham.

3. LIVESTOCK PRICES (a)

PERIOD		Calves		Other Cattle			Sheep			Lambs			Pigs		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	€	S,	d.	£	s.	d.
Year: 1961-62 1962-63 1963-64	1 1 1	18 11 14	4 6 11	29 29 32	12 8 10	7 3 4	1 1 2	11 15 4	9 7 5	2 3 3	11 1 7	9 0 8	11 13 14	4 18 18	4 1 9
6 months ended Mar., 1964 6 months ended Mar., 1965	2 2	13 17	0	29 39	15 16	6 5	1 2	14 12	0	2 3	18	7 9	14 15	18	1
Month:- 1964 February March	3	17	2	28	1 13	11 11	1 2	14	1 9	3	4 12	5 9	13	10 2	2 2
1965 February March	5 4	1 10	0 8	40 38	10	4 6	2 2	12 13	11 5	3	15	11	14	8 16	4 4

⁽a) Estimated average prices, on the hoof, of main classes of livestock sold for slaughter

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